

Getting Started with Hoopla

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For Apple Devices

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Download and install Hoopla from the Apple **App Store**.



Apple App Store

Tap **Sign Up** to make a Hoopla account. Enter in your email address (twice) and a password (twice), then tap on **Next**.

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In the **Search** bar at the top of the screen, **enter in 11720**, tap on **Middle Country Public Library**, and tap **Next**. Enter your **library card number**, tap **Sign Up**, then tap **Let's Go** on the next screen. You will be brought to the main Hoopla page.

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Towards the **top** of your screen you will see 3 links: **Home**, **Borrowed**, and **Favorites**. **Borrowed** will bring you to your current & past checkouts. **Favorites** shows you anything you liked and wanted to go back to later. To access your Hoopla **Settings**, tap on the gear icon in the top left corner.

Home Borrowed Favorites



Settings Icon

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To **browse** for items, use the buttons at the **bottom** of the app. You can browse **Video** (Movies & TV), **Music**, and **Books** (eBooks, eAudio, & comic books). Use the **Search** to find titles, authors, or artists.



My hoopla



Video



Music



Books



Search

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To **borrow** an item, tap on the item **cover**, then tap on the **blue Borrow icon**. A box will pop up letting you know **how long*** you will have the item for. Tap on **Borrow**, and then choose whether to play, read, or listen.

Items have different loan periods. You may borrow up to **15 titles a month.*

- **Movies** are available for 2 or 3 days, depending on the title.
- **TV episodes** are available for 2 or 3 days, and each individual episode counts towards 1 borrow.
- **Ebooks, audiobooks, & comics** are available for 21 days.
- **Music albums** are available for 7 days.

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Want to **stream** a movie or show on your **TV**? You can link your Hoopla app to a streaming device like a Fire TV or Roku. First, download Hoopla on your streaming device & sign in with your Hoopla account. A **code** will show on your TV. Next, go to your smartphone or tablet and go to your Hoopla **Settings**. Scroll down and tap on Link TV Device. Enter in the code you see on your TV. Your devices will be linked, and you can now stream anything you borrow!